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Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad Investigation.

The House committee to investigate the organization of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg railroad company met again on Friday evening, pursuant to adjournment, Dr. Graham

Montgomery Slaughter, ex-Mayor of Fredericksburg, was sworn and testified: That he was a director of the Alexandria and Fred-ericksburg railroad. That he holds ten shares of stock, for which he paid nothing. This stock was subsequently demanded of him at the time the sale was made to the new organization, but he declined to hand it over. That he attended the meetings of the Board several times. That he did not know whether the stock issued had been paid for or not. He did not know the amount of stock issued. He understood that a contract was made with certain parties to build the road, and they were to have the bonds and stock. That he did not know to what amount the bonds were issued, nor what disposition had been made of them.

Col. Carter Braxton was then sworn, and restified that he had been employed by J. B. Stewart, as the agent of the Alexandria and through, Fredericksburg railroad, as engineer to go into the field and locate the road. That he declined to do this until the expense was guaranteed; and that he was told it was all right, to go ahead. That the money not coming he applied to Stewart, who went to Hnyek's bank, in Washington, and asked why they had not forwarded the money, and directed them to do so. That he found at Fredericksburg, shortly afterwards, to his credit \$1,000, placed there by Stewart, with which he paid himself and party.

That there was paid in all on account of work done in the field by his party, some \$6,900. That in the course of a few months, he learned that the contract had been given to Bodfish, Mills & Co., for the road, and that they were to build it and be paid in stocks and bonds,-That there were, he was informed, 100 bonds issued to that firm in advance payment for work done, and that they got in New York on these from various parties some \$43,000. That the contract had been first given to a party in Pennsylvania, represented by a Mr. Keeler, but that he went on an excursion party and took a little too much to drink, and the contract fell through.

That Bodfish, Mills & Co. paid about \$11,000 for the right of way and expenses, and in all about \$25,000, including materials, &c., and that about \$75,000 was expended in grading up to the time of his leaving, and considerably more afterwards. That the sub contractors garnesheed the bonds due to Bodfish, Mills & Co., and prevented any further issue to them, and this caused them to break and the contract to be annulled. That he was informed that no further money need be expected, and stopped work.

That Mr. Johnston told him that no money the large state of them. Alexandria at 1:45 p. m., and arrive at Harrisonburg at 6:30 a. m.; Eastward, leave Harrisonburg at 6:30 a. m.; eastward, lea

had been paid for the stock, except that a check for the \$2 per share subscribed had been | made to Fairfax Court House from Fairfax stahanded him-he thought it was Stewart's tion; to Middleburg from Plains; to Upperville check. That there was still due him about from Piedmont, and to Staunton from Harrisoncheck. That there was still due him about \$3,800, and that he had applied for it and had not received it. He had never applied for it personally to Mr. Roberts.

the time of the application for a renewal of the charter and had done his best to defeat the bill. That he wanted a provision inserted that the charter should not be renewed until all the old debts were paid-and that failing to secure that, he did his best to defeat it.

That there had been an organization effected under the Ficklin charter who proposed to build the road if the charter was not revived .-That he was not familiar with the organization of new companies or the manner in which it was done. That he did not know whether there was any organization under the Ficklin charter as that was a difficult question to answer.

The committee then, at the request of Judge Ould, allowed President P. V. Daniel, Jr., to make a personal statement of the connection of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg railroad with his own. He stated that he was first approached by Stewart, who told him he had a valuable charter and wanted to make a running arrangement with his road. That he discussed the matter afterwards, and finally had certain resolutions passed covering this arrangement. That this was in the early organzation of the company; and that when the work stopped the whole thing fell through .-

Afterwards, in the early part of 1870, he was dleburg. waited on by Mr. Lincoln, who assured him that Stewart was no longer connected with the company, and asked his assistance in procuring the revival of the charter. That he made certain amendments which made the bill satisfactory, and then did his best to assist its passage. That afterwards, during the summer, he learned of the negotiations between Mr. Roberts, and his associates and Mr. Moneure Robinson. and received the contract submitted by Mr. Roberts. That he had learned from Mr. Lincoln who the parties were that proposed to bay the charter; and that he did not consider the contract satisfactory because his road was confined at Baltimore to a connection with the Northern Central, and he therefore disapproved it. That a counter proposition was submitted by Mr. Robinson which failed because the Pennsylvania railroad insisted on the steam boat lines being abandoned. That he had known of the charges against the Alexandria and Fredericksburg railroad when they applied for a revival of the charter, but that he had advocated its passage. When, however, he learned that a charter had been introduced for another railroad between Fredericksburg and Richmond, he went to work to find any plan which might exist in the organization of the road for the purpose of defeating the poposed extension. SQUARE GRANDS, Patented Aug. 14, 1866, That he had asked Mr. Kelly to offer the reso-which bring the Piano nearer perfection than has lution, that he had prepared it and had furnished the names of the witnesses to be subpænaed-and that he thought he was justified in acting as he had done. That he thought his own road was entirely adequate for the accommodation of the public, although it had been closed by ice for the past week and from one week to five every third or fifth year. And that he would be glad to see another road built as soon as the public accommodation requir-

That his road did not solicit through freight because they had to dray it until recently in Petersburg, Richmond and Washington. That they had had a contest with the York river road on the freight and passenger question, which terminated in an agreement that passengers should not be carried at less than \$7, nor freight at less than 50 cents a hundred.

Mr. R. T. Daniel then read a series of letters from Lincoln to Stewart, which were filled with lamentable accounts of Mr. Joseph Segar and pathetic appeals to get him away from Richmond and keep him away &c., &c.

The committee then, after further enquiry for Bundy, and agreeing to meet on Monday for the purpose of examining two writnesses. Messis, G. W. D. Ramsey and Stephens, with whose examination the case will close, adourned.

RAILROADS. A LEXANDRIA & WASHINGTON R. R.

SAM'L. M. SHOEMAKER..... J. DEAN SMITH. .. Treasurer OSCAR A. STEVENS.....Secretary

DIRECTORS. Richard T. Merrick, J. Dean Smith, George Wm. Brent, Walter Lenox, Oscar A. Stevens.

DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS. Through Mail Trains leave Washington, from Maryland avenue depot, at 7:10 a. m. for Lynch burg and intermediate stations, Sundays includ-ed, and 10:20 a. m. for Harrisonburg and inter-mediate stations on the Manassas Branch of the O. A. & M. R. R., Sundays excepted. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 1:50 p. m. from Harrisonburg, Sundays excepted, and 5:30 from Lynchburg, Sundays

Local Passenger Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue Depot. at 7:15, 9 and 11:15 a. m. and 1:50, 3, 4, 6:10 and 7:10 p. m.—Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 and 9 a. m., and from the corner of King and St. Asaph streets at 6, 8 and 10:20 a. m., and 1,3 and 5 p. m.

Local Sunday Trains leave Alexandria, from
the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 a.

m. Leave Washington, from Maryland avenue depot, at 7:10 p. m.

Through tickets can be procured at the office of the Company, corner of 9th street and Maryland avenue, Washington, and baggage checked

WINTER ARRANGEMENT. On and after TUESDAY, November 22,1870, and until further notice, EVENING SPECIAL TRAINS, in addition to local day trains, will be run EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY EVEN-ING between Alexandria and Washington.

Evening Special Trains leave from the corner of St. Asaph and King streets, Alexandria, Vs., at 7 p. m. Returning, leave Maryland avenue depot, Washington, D. C. at 11:30 p. m. Round trip tickets for evening special trains for sale at the ticket office in Alexandria after the departure of the 5 p. m. local lay train, and tickets good returning to Alexandria for any local trains for the good returning to Alexandria for any local trains for always on hand.

Strict attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE.

In the good returning to Alexandria for any local tickets good for any local tickets goo

ORANGE, ALEXANDRIA AND MAN-ASSAS RAILROAD.

On and after FRIDAY, Nov. 18, 1870, one daily passenger train will run between WASH-INGTON and LYNCHBURG, connecting at Gordonsville, with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to Richmond, Staunton and the Virginia Springs; at Lynchburg for the West and Southwest, and at Washington, to the North and Northwest.

For MANASSAS LINE leave Washington market rates. daily (excepting Sunday) at 9:55 a. m.; leave Alexandria at 11:00 a. m., pass Strasburg at 3:42

Good connections, by comfortable coaches, are

Both the Eastward and Westward bound trains . . . make close connection at Strasburg with the Winchester and Strasburg Railroad to Winches-He stated that he had come to Richmond at ter, Harper's Ferry, &c. Elegant sleeping cars are run daily between lew York and Lynchburg, without change.

Also, cars through between Baltimore and Lynchburg, avoiding the inconvenience of transfer in Washington. Through tickets and baggage checked to all prominent points. J. M. BROADUS.

General Ticket Agent. nov 25-tf WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD

THE RESERVE STATES OF THE STAT

On and after October 24th, 1870, the trains on and SUGARS. this road will be run as follows:

The Mail train will leave Alexandria daily, GEO, H. ROBINSON & SON, xcept Sunday at 8:20 a property of London. except Sunday, at 8:30 a. m.; arrive at Leesburg at 10:20 a. m., and Hamilton at 10:40 a. m. Leave Hamilton at 12:15 p. m., and Leesburg at 12:35 p. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 2:35 p. m. The Accommodation Train will leave Alexan-

p. m. train from Hamilton, connect at Hamilton | GROCERS, FEED & COMMISSION MERwith Kemp's Daily Line of Coaches for Purcellville, Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also, with Reamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Ball's Mill, Aldie and Mid-

oct 19-tf R. H. HAVENNER, Tick. Agt

SIXTY-FIVE FIRST PRIZE MEDALS AWARDED. UFACTORY Manufacturers of GRAND, SQUARE AND UPRIGHT PLANO-FORTES.
BALTIMORE, MD.

These Instruments have been before the public for nearly thirty years, and upon their excellence alone attained an unpurchased pre-eminence. which pronounces them unequalled. Their .

TONE combines great power, sweetness and fine singing quality, as well as great purity of Intonation, and sweetness throughout the entire scale. Their TOUCH

is pliant and elastic, and entirely free from the

stiffness found in so many Pianos.

IN WORKMANSHIP
they are unequalled, using none but the very best sensoned material, the large capital employed in our business embling us to keep continu-ally an immense stock of lumber, &c., on hand, zer All our SQUARE PIANOS have our

New Improved Overstrung Scale and the Agraffe Treble. Re We would call special attention to our late improvements in GRAND PIANOS and

which bring the Piano nearer perfection than has vet beenattained. Every Piano fully Warranted for Five Years We have made arrangements for the Sole Wholesale Agency for the most celebrated PAR-LOR ORGANS and MELODEONS, which we offer, wholesale and retail, at lowest factory prices. WM. KNABE & CO.

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10 hhds prime New Orleans Sugar. 50 sacks Rio, Java, Old Government and Laguyra Coffees. 25 boxes New York Factory Cheese.

5 bbls choice New Orleans Molasses. 5 bbls New York Buckwheat Flour. 5 hhds Shoulders and Sides Bacon. Fine new crop Teas, Tobaccos, Cigars, &c .. offered at lowest market rates by R. M. LAWSON.

THE FIRMS OF THOMSON PAYNES A CO and REED, MORSE & CO., were this day dissolved by mutual consent. Richards Payne, Jr., and W.V. Moss continuing the business of both houses under the firm name of Payne & Moss.

The undersigned in withdrawing from their respective firms, cheerfully recommend the new firm to their friends as everyway worthy their patronage. A. H. THOMSON.
JOS. H. REED. jan 4-2w street. Alexandria, Jan. 4, 1870.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

SHINN & CO.,

(Successors to Samuel Hartley,)

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 13 Union street,

Alexandria, Va.

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HYDRAULIC CEMENT: J. LANNON. BRODERS & CO.,

No. 11 King street. Alexandria, Va.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Wholesale Dealers in

> LIQUORS, PROVISIONS SALT FISH,

and PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assertment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to con-

signees on arrival. Agents for Dupont's Ganpowder. XXX Ale and Porter always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potofnac Trans-

mh 10-tf W. H. WILKENING CHOPLD & WILKENING.

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GROCERY, LIQUOR & GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

No. 20 North Royal st. Dealers in GROCERIES, TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, WHISKEY, BRANDY, WINES, SCOTCH ALE, PORTER, &c. Also, Eastern and Potomac SHAD, HER-RING and MACKEREL.

Choice brands of SEGARS and TOBACCO

F. J. DAVIDSON. train on the following day. Fare 50 cts.
O. A. STEVENS, Gen. Supt.
W. J. PHELPS, Gen. Manager. nov. 22-41

OPANGE ALEXANDRIA AND MAN-No. 226, King street, corner of Alfred, Alexandria, Va.

Dealers in Butter, Lard, Salt, Fish, Flour, Bacon, Coffee, Tea, Sugar, &c. Country Produce taken in exchange for Merchandise, or sold on commission at lowest rates. feb 20-4f commission at lowest rates.

TIMOMAS PERRY.

MAGNUM BONUM AND BAUGH'S

Leave Washington daily at 6:55 a. m., and Alexandria at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 5:05 p. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 8:25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 5:25 p. m., and at Washington at 6:15 g. m., m. Groceries, Fish, Salt. Lime, &c., at lowest ang :: 1 - ti

WASHINGTON & HERBERT. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 11 North Union st., Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, SEEDS, PLASTER, FISH, SALT, LIME, &c., at the lowest market price.

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No. 210 Seventh street. [Between B street and Maryland Avenue,] Washington, D. C., COMMISSION MERCHANT,

DEALERS IN
PURE DRUGS, LEWIS WHITE LEAD,
Paints, Oils and Varnishes,
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY. Respectfully solicits consignments, believing he can average 10 per cent more for consigners than he did in Alexandria. Washington, jan 31-4f No. 145 King street.

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No. 2 Prince street.
Also, dealers in GUANOS, SALT, LUMP
and GROUND PLASTER, FISH, GRAIN

GROCERS. FORWARDING AND COM-MISSION MERCHANTS. King street, Alexandria, Va. Particular attention paid to the selling of all

kinds of Country Produce. Goods forwarded nov 21-16

CHANTS, Corner Prince and Royal sts ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Special attention given to the sale of Country produce. UTHER D. HARRISON.

THE GREAT SOUTHERN PIANO MAN. AUCTION & COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Respectfully solicits consignments. Sales at-tended to with promptness and dispatch. oct 31-11

GROCERIES.

TREAT REDUCTION INTHE PRICE OF TEAS.

Having purchased a full stock before the advance in gold, we are enabled to sell TEAS from the city, nov 19—tf

Gunpowder, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.60; extra..... Imperial, \$1, \$1,30; Young Hyson, \$1; Oolong, black, \$1, \$1,15; English Breakfast, Any Tea purchased from us we guarantee pure,

and if not satisfactory will be exchanged.
We have also a full stock of Green and Roast COFFEES, SUGARS, SPICES, MUSTARD, SODAS, SOAPS CANNED FRUITS, &c. CHINESE TEA COMPANY. No. 11 North Royal street, Near the Market. aug 10-ly

CLINTON MILBURN.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in GROCERIES. Corner Cameron and Royal streets [Opposite the Market,] Alexandria, Va.

WM. F. BROOKES.

FAMILY GROCER, And Dealer in Fine Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Pickles, American and English, Canned Goods, Tobacco.

Segars, etc., etc. 179 King street, above Washington N. B.-All orders from the country shall receive prompt attention. ap 11---ti.

 W.M. RAMSAY. G. Wholesale and Retail GROCER,

147 King street, Alexandria, Va. mh 25-11 G. SWAINE. No. 22 North Royal st...
[Two doors south of old stand.]
Has on hand and is constantly receiving fresh

GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS, which he will sell cheap for cash.

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ROBT, JAMIESON. A. M. CLARKE. JAMIESON & CLARKE,

ALEXANDRIA
PLANING MILLS, SASH, DOOR & BLIND
FACTORY

Nos. 27 and 20 North Water street. Dealers in
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VIRGINIA SASH, DOOR AND FRAME FACTORY, Corner Queen and Fairfax Streats. Alexandria, Virginia.

We have now made up 500 dods of all sizes, from \$2 to \$10; 600 Windows of Sash, glazed and unglazed, cheap; 200 pairs blinds, all sizes; 10,000 feet Mouldings, 40 different patterns. Will make at short notice Window and Door Frames, Brackets, &c., Newels, Balusters and Hydrants constantly on hand. Liberal discounts made to

Being practical mechanics ourselves, we feel confident that we can please our customers. Planing, Tongue and Grooving, Sawing, Turning and Scroll-sawing done in the best manner. Plans and specifications furnished to parties contracting with us for building materials, mar 2 RISHIELL & HOOGE.

B. W. NALLS. JAMESW. NALLS & SON. J. W. NALLS. 187 King st., Alexa., Va. Dealers in HARDWARE, CUTLERY.

Dealers in HARDWARE, CUTLERY,
Carpenters' Tools, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Door
and Window Frames, Brackets, Mouldings,
Balusters, of different patterns, and Newel
Posts, A large stock of French and American
Glass, double and single thick, of all sizes.—
Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Paint and White Wash
Brushes, Lewis' Pure White Lead, and other
beauty of fine quality, Porty, Turnanting, and brands of line quality, Putty, Turpentine and Machine Oil. Also, Lime, of superior quality, Cement, Calcined Piaster, Pitch and Felt for Roofing, &c. A large stock of Pugh's celebrated Car Augers, and other articles found in first class Builders' Furnishing establishments. All orders for Lumber, Brick and all kinds of Building Material, promptly attended to. Terms cash. feb 11-tf

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

DRUG STORE.

Having purchased the Drug Store on the northeast corner of King and Washington sts., for a number of years past known as Milburn's or Alexandria and vicinity that I will keep constantly on hand a full and complete assort-ment of all articles usually found in a first class

Particular attention will be paid to the com-pounding of prescriptions day and night, aug 31-4f SAMUEL H. LUNT. ESTABLISHED 1792.

S. LEADBEATER & BRO. DEALERS IN
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS. VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS. SPICES, ACIDS, &c.,

Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st., -tf Alexandria, Va. aug 2-ti WM. F. CREIGHTON. COOK & CREIGHTON,

Wholesale and Retail Deale PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS, Varnishes and Oils, WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY No. 107 King street.

Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country. mar 9-tf SAMUEL II. JANNEY. MAIRION II. JANNEY. JANNEY & CO.

26 Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 23-tf

MERCHANT THILORS WILLIAM MURRAY. MERCHANT TAILOR. No. 7 NORTH FAIRFAX STREET, Has just received his FALL AND WINTER ASSORTMENT OF

CLOTHS. CASSIMERES. AND VESTINGS. He invites his friends and customers to call and 1NGTON. examine his stock. sep 24-4f

L. GRIGG.

MERCHANT TAILOR. 86 King street, Has opened a full line of first class goods for Winter wear, consisting of

FRENCH AND ENGLISH CLOTHS. CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS. Imported expressly for the trade, to which he

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VEW STORE.

invites attention.

Just opened at the corner of King and St. A suph streets, and would call the attention of house-keepers especially to our supply of PROVIS-IONS, Hams, Bacon, Lard, Fresh Meats, Poul-

try and Produce generally.
Also a large lot of CANNED FRUITS of every description in store, just received. Those wishing a bargain in our line will do well to call on us, as we are prepared to sell cheap.

Goods delivered free of charge to any part of GHEEN & BIRCH, 148 King street.

JANNEY'S CELEBRATED CHILBLAIN LINIMENT. An infallible cure for frosted feet. Thousands, both old and young, are tormented all winter by this most annoying and painful complaint. To such a cure is guaranteed by using this Limment as directed. It will also be found very efficacious for Sprains, Bruises and Rheumatism. Price

JANNEY & CO., And sold by them, wholesale and retail, at their Drug Warehouse, 145 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.

25c, per bottle. Prepared only by

D'OLLS! DOLLS! DOLLS! Doll Heads, Bodies, Arms, &c. I have now Dolls ever offered in this city, embracing every variety and price. Dolls from 5c to \$5. Having made my purchases of HOLIDAY PRESENTS on very advantageous terms, I am enabled to sell at the very lowest prices. Call and examine my stock, and be convinced of low prices and fair

dealings. dec 16 C. C. BERRY, 72 King st. JUST OPENED BY WM. N. BERKLEY. 3-4 Fancy Cassimeres; 6-4 do.

Fulled Cloths, Sattinets, Red, Blue, and Gray Twilled Flannels. Corderoy, Kentucky Jeans, Bleached and Brown Cottons. Fancy Prints, more of those cheap Towels, &c., &c. Invite all to call.

LOST—On Thursday morning last, between 7 and 8 o'clock, on the pavement of No. 114 Prince street, a pair of GOLD SPECTACLES, ladies. They were left in the window without case, and in opening the blinds were thrown out. A boy was seen to pick up something at the time. A suitable reward will be given if left at No. 114 Prince street, or at this office.

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having taken out letters of administration upon the estate of the late JAMES HILTON, this is to S. COGSWELL & CO. notify the public give notice that all debtors and creditors of the deceased must settle their accounts with ment. No. 48 King street.

S. COGSWELL & CO. notify the public give notice that all debtors and creditors of the deceased must settle their accounts with ment. No. 48 King Jan 2-3t dec 16-tf Office No. 12 south Royal st.

1. C. O'NEAL, Sheriff, in bright order, in store and for sale by Jan 6 HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

MACHINISTS GAS AND STEAM FITTING.

WM. COGAN. No. 15 North Royal street, Has constantly on hand a large and complete CHANDELIERS.

BRACKETS

HASPS, PENDANTS.
STATIONARY AND PORTABLE DROP
LIGHTS IN VARIETY: PORCELAINS, PHOTOGRAPH, MICA and OTHER SHADES: CUT, GROUND AND PLAIN GLOBES ALSO, STEAM PIPE, GAGES, COCKS, VALVES,

and everything in the Steam Fitting Line.
Public Buildings and Dwellings furnished and fitted up with Gas in the most substantial and the songs of the Syrens to the Mariners of Ulys-elegant manner. Steam Work for Factories, Mills, &c., promptly and faithfully executed; all at prices which

will give satisfaction. C. H. COLLINS. G. W. JAMIESON. A LEXANDRIA IRON AND BRASS

AMIESON & COLLINS, Proprietors, COR OF ROYAL & WILKES STS., ALEXANDRIA, VA

Zer Building Material, Mill Work and Castings of every description made at short notice.

Cash paid for old Iron and Brass.

sep 6-ti W S. MOORE,

MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH, No. 65 Union street, Alexandria, Va. Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST IRON FENCES, &c. Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previous to the war. jan 20

DHILIP PARK.

PRACTICAL PLUMBER, No. 12 South Fairfax street.

The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the anest durable and workman-like manner. Satisfaction guaranteed. JOBBING done at short notice, and by himself, or the most experienced workmen. Jan 2-tf

OFFICE OF THE
ALEX'A & FREDERICKSBURG R. R. Co. |
PERSONS wishing to furnish CROSS-TIES to this company, along the line of their road, are invited to send propositions to PAUL J. WHITE, Chief Engineer, at Alexandria, Va., stating what number, and at what price and points they will furnish the same in accordance with the following
SPECIFICATIONS.
The timber paust be of sound growth, either

Specifications.

The timber must be of sound growth, either white oak, rock oak or chestnut, the ties to be proposed from the head and ears when askep, great nervousness. properly hewn straight on two opposite sides, the ends cut off square and the bark removed. The ties to be not less than six (6) inches thick, threefourths of the number having not less than seven (7) inches face, one-fourth not less than eight (8) inches face, all to be eight (8) feet long. ties must be delivered on or before June 1st, 1871, on the line of the road where the road bed is in excavation, or where the road hed is not more than three (3) feet fill at such distance from centre line thereof not exceeding forty (40) feet, as the Engineer in charge may direct, and piled in eribs of about fifty each in such manner as to admit of inspection. Ties delivered as aforesaid, inspected under the direction of the Chief Engineer of the Company, and accepted, will be paid for as follows: On or about the first of each month an inspection will be made of ties delivered since last return, and for those accepted there will be an estimate returned and eighty-five (85) per cent of amount due on same, paid in eash, on or about the 20th day of the menth. Upon completion of the contract there will be a final estimate, and the balance, including the fifteen (15) produced, per cent reserved, will be paid in full.

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PAUL J. WHITE. jan 5-dlw&codw Chief Engineer. NEW EXPRESS LINE

NEW EXPRESS LIVE

—BETWEEN—

PHILADELPHIA AND ALEX
ANDRIA, GEORGETOWN AND WASH-Steamers leave regularly from Georgetown, foot of Congress street, EVERY WEDNES-DAY; from Alexandria, foot of King street,

EVERY THURSDAY.

Freight received daily at lowest rates. This line connects with all the Northern, Eastern and Western Railroads and Transportation Companies, and will forward freight by all the lines running out of Philadelphia, free of commission, and gives THROUGH RATES. M. ELDRIDGE & CO.

No. 4 S. Wharves, Alexandria, Va. WM. P. CLYDE & CO., No. 12 South Wharves, Philadelphia HYDE & TYLER, je 1-11 59 Water street, Georgetown. JUST THE THING FOR THE

CHRISTMAN HOLIDAYS

CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME! The store of Victor Becker, 179 King street is the place to precure the patent dancing toys for pianos, an invention which contributes much to

parlor entertainment-Call and see them. VICTOR BECKER, 179 King Street. dec 23—im THO THE PUBLIC.

DR. LOOCKERMAN Wishes to inform the public that he has no idea of leaving Alexandria, and never has had, and takes this method to contradict a report to that effect which has been circulated by some maliclots person. I am permanently located, and wish this to be distinctly understood, in contradiction to all such envious or malicious reports, and can be found at my office (on which I bave a Doll Heads, Bodies, Arms, &c. I have now in store one of the largest stocks and best assortment of Crying. Talking, Sleeping and Plain teeth properly attended to, at prices as moderate

The firm of JAMIESON & SMITH was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 1st day of December, 1870. Robert Jamieson will sign in set-tlement. ROBT, JAMIESON. BOYD M. SMITH. The business will be continued at the same

place by ROBERT JAMIESON and A. M. CLARKE, who have this day formed a copart-nership under the name and style of JAMIE-SON & CLARKE. ROBT, JAMIESON. A. M. CLARKE.

Alexandria, Va., January 2, 1871-1m NOTICE-The interest of Mr. ZEPH ENG-LISH and Mr. JOSEPH PAUL in our GREGORY & CO. firm ceased this day. Alexandria, Va., December 31, 1870. TOTICE-Mr. COURTLAND H. SMITH

1000 sacks LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT.

MEDICAL.

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Especially, who have become the Victims of Solitary Vice, and dreadful and destructive habits which annually sweep to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to extacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.

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MARRIAGE.

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TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgence and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, unfitting them for either business, study, society or mar-

These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by the early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consump MENTALLY.-The fearful effects on the mind

are much to be dreaded. Loss of Memory, Con-

Thousands of persons of all agescan now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and

emaciated, having a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of Consumption. YOUNG MEN Who have injured themselves by a certain prac-

of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately. What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the pride of his parents, should be smatched from all prospects and enjoyment of life by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in pernisious habits. Such persons must, before contemplations

tice, already described, a habit frequently learned from evil companions or at school, the effects

MARRIAGE.

Reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness, Indeed, without these the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view, the mind secomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another is blighted with our own.

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